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M E M O R A N D U M

DATE: June 28, 1990
TO: William Messenger, Chief, Pre-Remedial Unit
FROM: Daniel Sullivan, FIT
SUBJECT: Gemini Leasing
Hodgkins, Illinois
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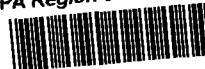
The Gemini Leasing Company (Rite Way Trucking) site is owned by Gemini Leasing Company of Hodgkins, Illinois. The site contained 26 semi-trailers which contained cyanide contaminated film chips from a silver recovery business in Elk Grove Village, Illinois. A number of trailers were found to be leaking a small amount of cyanide bearing leachate, but no off-site runoff was noted. The chips remained on-site until they were removed to a former strip mine area on the outskirts of Canton, Illinois. A 1983 inspection noted that the site was completely fenced. No soil or groundwater investigations to date have been performed at the site.

The city of Western Springs provides drinking water to a population of approximately 13,545 persons from a 1600-foot well located slightly less than 3 miles from the site. Other municipalities within 3 miles of the site receive drinking water from Lake Michigan.

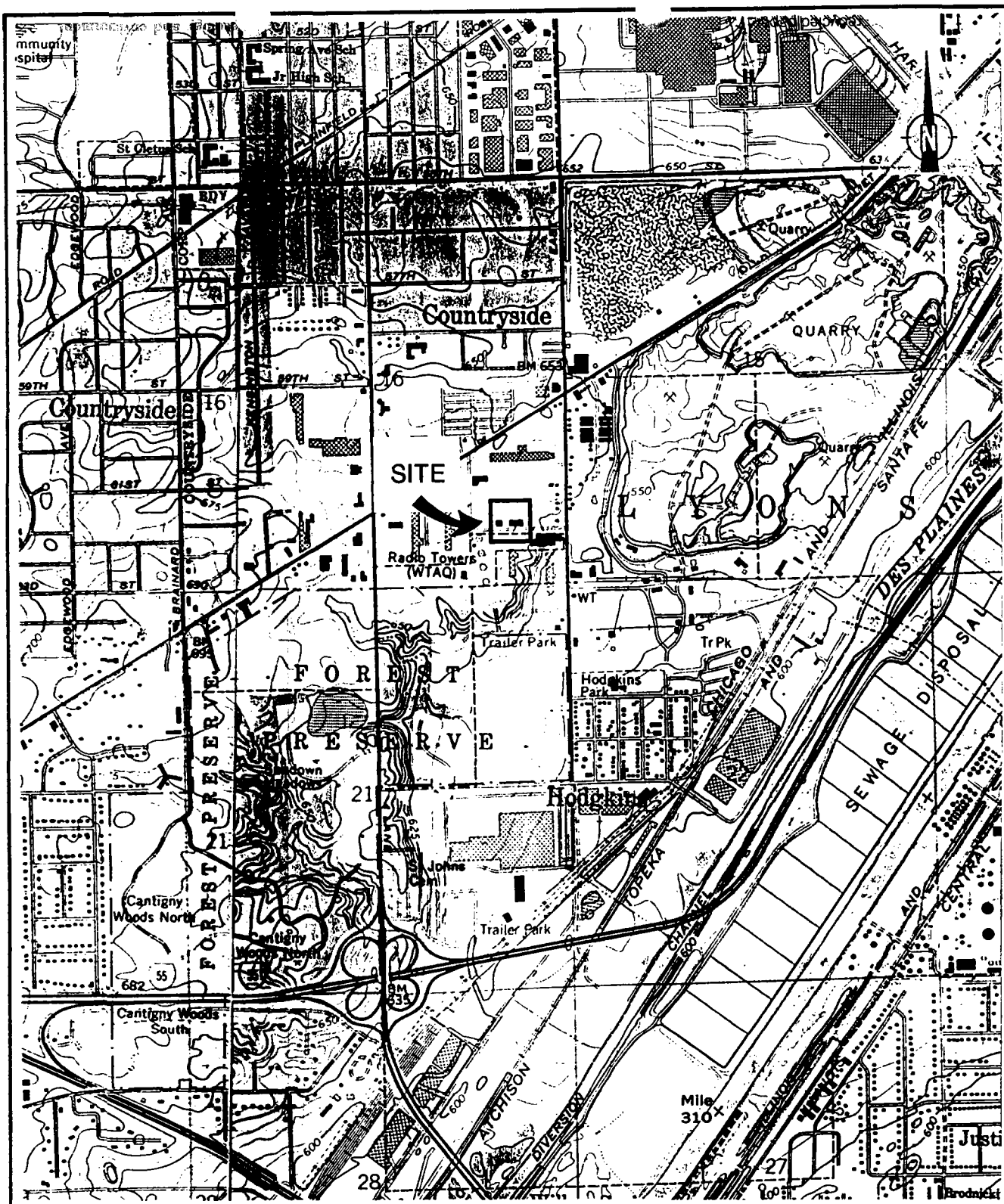
FIT believes it is unlikely that drinking water sources would be affected by the site or that a surface water migration pathway exists. Therefore, FIT recommends that no further action is needed at the Gemini leasing site.

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TITLE	SITE LOCATION MAP	FIGURE #	1
SITE	GEMINI LEASING	SCALE	1:24,000
CITY	HODGKINS	STATE	ILLINOIS
SOURCE	USGS BERWYN/HINSDALE QUADS	P.A.N.	FIL0701SA
		DATE	1963
		REVISED	1972 and 1980